



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5604

LCO No. 1140

Referred to Committee on Environment

Introduced by:
REP. STRIPP, 135th Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING FUNDING OF THE FARMLAND
PRESERVATION PROGRAM.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That section 22-26hh of the general statutes be amended to increase
- 2 the funding for the farmland preservation program and to revise the
- 3 funding system for such program so that the program receives its
- 4 funding in an annual lump sum, enabling it to make grants on a
- 5 timely, per project basis.

Statement of Purpose:

To allow the farmland preservation program that enables the state to purchase the development rights to agricultural land, either on its own or jointly with a municipality, to protect more agricultural land.